18th District General Meeting

April 18, 2025 @ Canyon City Post 180

Meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm with a quorum present.

Guest: Dept Membership Director, Assistant Parliamentarian, 18TH District SAL Commander, Candidates for Dept Commander, PDC Cardoza

Adjutant held roll call of officers.

Bravo Zulu to Post 180 for hosting.

Reading of Executive Meeting minutes – Motion to approve motion passed.

Dept. Commander Candidates – Jeff Freeman & Davis Brambilla

Commander Report – Dist. JA resigned. Baseball banquet May 2nd. \$100 per tix. 2 left. Legion family picnic 7/26 @ Hart park. We are hosting a potion. Check from Post 139 made a donation for upcoming events. See's Candy \$200.05. Post 291 visit 4/21. LACC will be 5/9 @ Post 804.

Next year meeting schedule:

May - 241

June - 180

July – 241

Aug - 755

1st Vice Report – District is at 89%. 6th in Dept. We are almost there, get those members to renew. Membership booth at Memorial Day event. Post 790 will have a revitalization 5/6.

2nd Vice Report – Call Lamp Liter Inn for your rooms at Convention. \$125 a night. Thanks for attending the Spring Fling. Don't forget about the H4H.

JR Past – No report

Adjutant report – 1 Post still on probation for Audit. Post Data Form was due April 15th. Posts 13,261,397,508 need to submit.

Finance Report – Starting balance \$20,199.39 Closing balance \$15,912.13 GCU Account \$62,357.94.

Chaplain Report – 4 members transferred to Post everlasting. Still have members in the hospital.

Judge Advocate – No report.

Service Officer – No report

Historian – Took photos at 6th Area. Book is caught up.

Sgt-at-Arms – No report

Boy's & Girl's State – Dan is our Chaperone. Bus is leaving from Post 280. Orientation dinner will be 5/29th @ Post 790 @ 6:00pm

Oratorical – No report

Baseball – No info as of yet. 100th Anniversary this year. May 2nd Fundraiser.

Blood Drive -8/1 @ Post 180, 6/27 @ 280.

Internal Affairs – No report

SAL Commander: 5/13/2025 District SAL Meeting. 2nd Nominations and elections.

Webmaster – Check the calendar for District meeting dates. All events being added weekly. Calendar is up to date. We will be posting the Meeting Minutes on the website for everyone to see. Renewals have taken place.

Scribe – Send all event info to him. Get it in as soon as you find out.

Old Business – FTB Update – Forms have been received.

New Business – Property Tax Exemption for Posts available through the BOE. All set for Salute to Heroes event at Arcadia Park. Both membership and food booth. LA County Fair Heroes May 22-25

Nominations:

CDR- Sam Cafiero

1st Vice – Jack Evanilla, Rivers Juques,

2nd Vice – Anthony Trujillo, Rivers Juqeus, Dave Hernandez, Scott Fowler, Sam Cafiero.

Executive Committee (8) – JR, Gil C., Irvin Flores, Anthny Trujillo, Scott Fowler, Dave Mushinskie. Dave Hernandez., Joe M., Ed Barlow, Gene Torencello,

LACC VC- Neil La Sala

LACC Executive Committee –Sam, Scott S., Jack, Joe, Irvin,

Delegate to National (2) – Neil, Scott S., JR, Ritchie, Sam, Jack, Rivers,

Alternate to national (2) – Same names.

Good of the Legion –

Get ahold of Scott Sinclair for dates for installations. SAL 790 is having a veteran meal for free and a dance on 4/19.

Cornhole tournament at Convention. More info to follow. Friday 6/27.

2026 will be in Visalia

2027, 2028, 2029 Conventions will be at LAX Marriot. Room rates will be \$200. Before tax. Look at staying at different hotel. Motel 6 is \$131 with tax.

Veterans Village needs help.

Executive Meeting 5/12/2025 @ Baldwin Park 241

General Meeting 5/16/2025 @ Baldwin Park 241

Meeting adjourned at 8:42pm

Respectfully submitted

Scott Sinclair

18th District Adjutant